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### PATENT APPLICATION



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Application No.: 10/804,056

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March 19, 2004

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For:

LAYOUT SYSTEM WITH ORDER-PLACEMENT CAPABILITY, LAYOUT

PROGRAM WITH ORDER-PLACEMENT CAPABILITY, AND LAYOUT

**METHOD** 

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS WITH DECLARATION

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Attached is our Check No.  $\underline{156505}$  for  $\boxtimes$ \$130.00  $\sqsubseteq$ \$65.00 (entitlement to small entity status is asserted) for the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e).

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this paper are attached.

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